

MINUTES OF THE FOURTH ANNUAL MEETING.

except in unorganized districts, in which case the expenditure shall not exceed \$200,000.

The Military College at Kingston shall be abolished, and the expenditure on the militia force in the Dominion in times of peace shall be limited to \$300,000.

The granting of subsidies and bonuses to railroad and steamship companies and other corporations shall be abolished. (Adopted with the interpretation that when, however, it is found necessary to extend settlement, or to accommodate settlements already established, the Government shall in lieu of land grants capitalize said land at \$1.00 per acre, and assist the said railway or railways to that extent and said land shall be open for settlement with the \$1.00 per acre as a first charge thereon.)

The number of civil servants at Ottawa and their salaries shall be reduced

The High Commissioner in Great Britain shall receive a stated salary without any additions for assistance or perquisites.

Reduction of the Machinery.

The number of Cabinet Ministers shall be reduced, and the Canadian Senate shall be abolished.

Tarif and Revenue

Luxuries shall be taxed to the fullest revenue producing extent, and the following shall be admitted free into Canada, viz.: Cotton, tweeds woollens, workmen's tools, farm implements, fence wire, binder twine, coal oil, iron and corn.